

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2005-48-E - ORDER NO. 2007-374

MAY 23, 2007

IN RE: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for) ORDER CANCELLING
Approval of Two New Rate Schedules,) SCHEDULE AND
Schedule HP-Flex (SC), Hourly Pricing,) RIDER
Flexible Baseline (Pilot) and Rider NL (SC),)
Economic Development for New Load (Pilot))

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (Duke or the Company) for Commission approval of the cancellation of certain rates. Duke states that in Order No. 2005-170, this Commission approved Schedule HP-Flex (SC) Hourly Pricing, Flexible Baseline (Pilot), and Rider NL (SC) Economic Development for New Load (Pilot) for the period April 7, 2005, through December 31, 2007. Duke requests Commission approval to close this pilot rate and rider prior to the current expiration date.

Duke notes that it developed and offered this rate schedule and rider to provide additional options for customers. Since its implementation, Duke states that it has provided service under the HP-Flex rate schedule to one customer during the period July 2005-May 2006. No customers have been served under Rider NL. Because there is no customer interest in these rates currently, Duke proposes to cancel Schedule HP-Flex and Rider NL prior to the scheduled expiration date of December 31, 2007, effective upon Commission Order.

The Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS) has reviewed the request and has no objection to the Company's request to cancel the pilot rate and rider. We have examined the Company's request and ORS's response and hereby approve the cancellation of Schedule HP-Flex and Rider NL, effective on the date of this Order. Clearly, customer demand is lacking for service under the rate schedule and rider. Further, ORS has no objection.

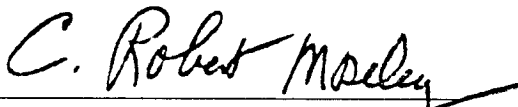
This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Chairman

ATTEST:



C. Robert Moseley, Vice Chairman

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